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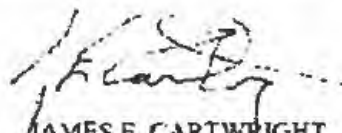
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MEMORANDUM FOR: SECRETARY OF DEFENSE
SECRETARIES OF THE MILITARY DEPARTMENTS
CHAIRMAN OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF
COMMANDERS OF THE COMBATANT COMMANDS
DIRECTORS OF THE DEFENSE AGENCIES

Subject: Joint Concept of Operations for Global Information Grid NetOps, Version 3

1. Version 3, dated 4 Aug 06, of the Joint Concept of Operations for Global Information Grid NetOps is approved. This Concept of Operations describes our current understanding of the common framework and command and control structure that we will use to conduct the global NetOps mission assigned to this command in the Unified Command Plan 2006.
2. This version of the NetOps CONOPS documents the lessons learned by Joint Task Force for Global Network Operations and the NetOps community through operations, exercises, and other events. We will continue to work with the NetOps Community as we translate the concepts set forth in this document into doctrine, policy and joint tactics, techniques, and procedures that strengthen the operations and defense of the Global Information Grid in support of warfighter, business and intelligence operations.


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